

# The Sydney Morning Herald.

"IN MODERATION PLACING ALL MY GLORY, WHILE TORIS CALL ME WHIG—AND WHIGS A TORY."

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PLEASURE TRIP BY STEAM,  
ON MONDAY, 27TH JANUARY,

In commemoration of the Anniversary of the Colonies.

NOTICE.—The ROSE,

R. Patterson, command'r, will go alongside the Circular Wharf, at half-past 8 o'clock, on Monday Morning next, to receive passengers for a pleasure trip about the harbour during the day.

Fares—\$3. each; children under fourteen, half-price; \$1.50. Hunter River Steam Navigation Company, Sydney, January 21. 1163

FOR PORT MACQUARIE  
THE STEAM-PACKET  
MAITLAND.

W. Parsons, master, will leave the Commercial Wharf, for Port Macquarie, THIS EVENING, the 23rd instant, at 6 o'clock.

Commercial Wharf, January 23. 1239

CABIN PASSAGE TO LONDON.

THE FIRST CLASS SHIP  
EMILY,

580 tons register, H. A. Greaves, Master, will commence loading, and will sail about the last instant. Her poor accommodation is very poor, and an experienced surgeon of the Royal Navy proceeds in the ship. For cabin passage only, apply on board, or to

LYALL, SCOTT, AND CO., Agents.

FOR LONDON DIRECT.

For Steerage and Intermediate Passengers.

THE British-built Brig CAROLINE will sail positively on the first of March next; has room for thirty tons of dead weight only. Apply to

ISAAC SIMMONS,

City Mart, 474, George-street.

P.S. The above fine little vessel will be fitted up with every comfort and convenience for Steerage and Intermediate Passengers; carries no wool, and will be well found with stores, &c. 553

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THE very fast sailing Ship PERSIAN, 600 tons, C. Mallard, R.N., Commander, will commence loading, and as she has a considerable portion of her cargo ready for shipment, will meet the steamer.

This vessel has very superior accommodations, carries a Surgeon, and made the passage in 99 days, thus offering peculiar advantages to passengers.

For particulars apply to the Captain, on board; to

COOPER AND HOLT, Waterlooville Warehouse.

FOR LONDON DIRECT.

THE regular trader first-class river-built ship EVERETTA,

Captain Benjamin Darley, having nearly the whole of her cargo on board, will positively sail in the last week of this present month. She has two poop cabins engaged, for steerage, &c., only, and passage, apply to Captain Darley, on board; or to

WILLIAM C. BOTTS,

Wharf, Darling Harbour. 451

FOR LONDON DIRECT.

THE first-class British built barque MIDDLOTIAN,

416 tons register, George Mason, Commander, shortly expected from London, will commence loading on her arrival, and (a small part of her cargo being engaged) will have quick despatch.

For freight or passage, apply to

ROBERT HOW AND CO., George-street, January 9. 452

EXCHANGE UPON LONDON.

THE Royal Bank of Australia hereby

gives notice, that they will sell their Drafts, or Scotch Bank acceptances, payable in London.

J. P. ROBINSON, Assistant Director.

Office, No. 3, Church-street. 7583

SOCBS CHURCH.

MACQUARIE STREET.

THE Presbytery of Sydney will meet in

this Church on Thursday first, the 23rd

instant, at 11 o'clock, a.m., for the purpose of

induction of Rev. Thomas Mowbray, A.M., to the charge of the congregation. The Rev.

John Tait, of Parramatta, will preach and preside on the occasions.

The members of the congregation, and others who may feel interested, are respectfully requested to attend.

January 21. 1169

BY SYDNEY COLLEGE.

THE Annual General Meeting of the

Trustees will be held in the College

Hall, Hyde Park, on Saturday, the 25th instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing a Committee and Officers for the ensuing year, and for general business. The Chair will be taken by the President at eleven o'clock precisely.

JOHN ROSE HOLDEN,

Honorary Secretary.

Sydney, January 8. 445

TO THE SUBSCRIBERS OF THE ENSUING REGATTA.

THE BOAT-OWNERS proposing to enter their boats in the ensuing Regatta, having learned that the FUNDS sub-

scribed at present by the Faculty, and

to date, to which sum £500 would be added

by the entries and subscriptions of boat-owners making £250, and that the scale of prizes

advertised by the Faculty for its restoring

perfect articulation, without any pressure on

the al'ar platea. Testa cleaned of the

artificial tartar.

Testa extracted, 2s. 6d. each. Instantane-

ous sale at the Stores of the under-

said—

Brandy, Martell's,

Henneberry's

Gin in quarter-casks

Rum, W. L. and E. I., 10 to 26 O.P.

Taylor's Stout, Dubois's brand

Dunbar's Ale and Stew.

SMITH AND CAMPBELL, Campbell's Wharf.

Observate—two doors from S. Lyon's Auction Mart.

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Commissariat Office, Sydney, 22nd December, 1844.

UNTIL further notice, Tenders for

Bills, to be drawn by the undersigned

on Her Majesty's Treasury, at thirty days' sight, will be received at this Office every

Thursday, at noon, the most favourable of which, if approved of, will be accepted.

No Tenders will be received unless sealed

and duplicate, marked "Tenders for Bills,"

T. W. RAMSAY,

Dep. Com. Gen.

Commissariat Office,

Sydney, January 14, 1845.

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2. The Fresh Meat for the Military Ration shall be in the proportion of 5lbs. of Beef, and 5lbs. of Mutton, weekly, deliverable alternately in fore and hind quarters, when the quantity admitted for the Convict Rations, the Beef shall be delivered in the former manner: Salted Beef being issued only in summer to Road Parties, and when authorised.

3. The Mince Meal shall be similar in quality to the Wheatmeal, and shall be twice ground.

4. The Vegetables for the Hospitals and other Establishments entitled thereto, shall be supplied in reasonable proportions of Potatoes, Onions, Pumpkins, Onions, &c.

The Rum shall be West India, five per cent. under proof, and to be taken out monthly for the service at Sydney, from the Bonded Stores, and upon the Certificate of the Commissariat Officer in charge of the Provision Branch.

#### Mode of Delivery.

6. The supplies above specified shall all be delivered by the contractor direct to the party establishing, entitled thereto, upon the written order of the Commissariat officer in charge of the district, or of the person authorised for that purpose.

7. At the several fixed stations the rations for the troops, the convict establishments, and road and other parties, shall be delivered by the contractor at the barracks, establishments, or huts, where the parties to be supplied may be stationed; being previously to removal from the contractor's premises approved by a person authorised for that purpose.

8. The forage shall be delivered by the contractor at the establishments where the horses or cattle are stabled, and in case the horses or cattle are not stabled, each of the species shall be reckoned as the proportion of the ration undertaken, viz.—

CHARLES BEILBY,  
476, George-street.

#### General Conditions.

9. Parties tendering may do so by either of the three following modes, at their option, viz.—

1. The whole of the supplies of every description, in each District, may be included in one tender, as at present.

2. Or the supplies may be tendered in subdivisions, as below, by a separate tender for each subdivision, viz.—

1. The military ration  
2. The several rations for convicts as described from 2 to 9, inclusive  
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4. The ration of fuel and light  
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3. Or the various articles comprising the several rations referred to, as well as all those required for the convicts and other purposes, may be tendered separately or singly by weight and measure; the undersigned reserving to himself the power of accepting tenders for supplying by any of these modes which he may find most expedient.

10. Contractors shall have at all times on the spot a supply for fourteen days in reserve, in the care of a competent agent, to whom reference may be had in the contractor's absence, in failure of which, the Commissariat officer may purchase at his, the contractor's expense such articles as are not forthcoming.

11. In the event of difference of opinion between the contractor and the party receiving the supplies, as to the quality, the same is to be decided, in cases where the article is of a perishable nature, by the Master of Survey, according to the practice of the service. But in country districts, where a Board of Survey cannot be conveniently assembled, the party objecting will name one person as arbitrator, the contractor or his agent another, and these two will (provided to any other proceeding on their part) concur in naming a third as umpire, who in event of the arbitrators not agreeing in opinion, will be called upon to decide which shall be the true. The only question referred to the Board or to the arbitrators will be, whether or not the article objected to be such as by his contract the contractor is bound to deliver; and if the Board, arbitrators, or umpire, shall decide that the article is not according to the conditions of the contract, it must be immediately replaced by the contractor, failing of which it will be procured, and the expense charged to his account, in cases where the article is of a perishable nature, the contractor will sustain the injury to be sustained, either by the parties to whom the rations are due, or to the contractor, by waiting for a Board of Survey, the head of the department, or officer in charge of the party or parties for whom the rations are to be received, shall have power to reject such article or articles as are obviously of inferior quality or in improper condition, it being distinctly understood that the same will be referred to the Government for doing, and that the contractors will have a right to appeal, although in the mean time he must take back the rejected article and supply good in its stead, failing of which it will be obtained by the officer or party requiring it, and the expense charged to the contractor.

12. It shall be in the power of either party to limit the duration of the Contract, by giving, in writing, a notice of three calendar months to the opposite party, and to end the Contract at the expiration of that period, it being understood that such a notice can be given only to the last day of each month, and within the period for which the Contract is made, or agreed to be made; and not later than the 1st of August.

13. The Contractor shall prepare his own account according to the prescribed form, and on the production thereof, with the requisite vouchers in a complete state, shall receive payment monthly.

14. The value of all packages shall be included in the prices demanded.

15. Persons wishing to tender are requested to apply either at this Office, or to the Commissariat Officers in charge of the several Stations, who will furnish them with printed forms for the purpose, and communicate further particulars; and an adequate security will be required for the due fulfilment of the Contracts, each Tender must be accompanied by a deposit of the sum proposed, and securities for the Contractor accordingly; and no payment will be made upon any Contracts until the bonds have been executed.

16. The amounts of the bonds required in the several Districts are as follows:—Contracted for collectively, viz.:—Sydney, £1,000; Parramatta, £1,000; Liverpool and Campbelltown, £500; Illawarra, £500; Windsor, 500; Penrith, £500; Hartley, £500; Bathurst, £500; Newcastle, £1,000; Maitland, £500; Port Macquarie, £500.

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T. W. RAMSAY,

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#### NOTICE TO SPORTSMEN.

THE AUSTRALIAN CUP,  
VALUÉ TWENTY GUINEAS.

THE GREAT ANNIVERSARY SHOOTING MATCH at Pigeons, for the Australian Silver Cup, will come off on Tuesday, the 28th instant, in Mr. Hill's paddock, on the Newtown Road.

Several private matches, in which some cracks are engaged, will take place on the same ground.

For further particulars, apply to Mr. Thos. May, Blackwattle Swamp, King-street, or Mr. G. Whitefield, King-street, or Mr. J. Gannon, Hunter-street.

Who will have a lunch provided for Sportsmen, on the ground, on that occasion.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

ON account of the pressure yesterday, and the disappointment of numerous persons, at Mr. Poole's sale, Castlecrag street, the undersigned is authorised to sell the remaining various and valuable Household Furniture, Plate, Piano-fortes, &c., by PRIVATE CONTRACT; and, for the accommodation of such persons as are desirous to purchase any portion thereof, the hours of Mr. Poole will be open one day earlier than the date and Tuesday next, the 28th instant, between the hours of 1 and 4, to afford an inspection of the property.

THOMAS STUBBS, Auctioneer.

Auction Mart, King-street, January 23. 1820

#### NOTICE.

ALL Parties having claims against the Estate of the late Mrs. Maria Bell, of Belmont, North Richmond, in the Colony of New South Wales, are requested to send particulars thereof, in writing, to the office of Mr. Clark Irving, Official Assignee, No. 52, Castlecrag street, Sydney, within one month from this date; otherwise they will be excluded from participation in any assets which may be realised therefrom.

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MONEY disposable for Mortgage at all times.

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#### NOTICE.

NOW LANDING, ex Midlothian,

200 cases of Page's port wine, in one dozen cases, quarts and pints

HOLDSWORTH AND WEEKES,

Market-street.

January 22.

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#### CONVEYANCE OF COAL.

WANTED, a conveyance for 100 tons

of coal from Newcastle to Sydney.

For particulars apply to

ECCLESTON AND HIRST,

Queen-street.

#### PIANO WANTED.

WANTED, a Square Piano, new, or

second-hand if good. Apply at No. 10,

Dominion-terrace.

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COPPER SMELTING, &c.

THE Undersigned have on hand and for sale—

Copper sheeting, 14 to 21 oz.

Copper sheathing nails, 1 to 24 inch

Copper bolt, 1 to 1 inch

Copper braziers' sheets, 8 to 10 lbs.

Copper bottoms, 3 to 5 feet

Copper pump tanks, 1 to 1 inch

ROWAND, MACNAB, AND CO.,

Circular Wharf,

January 22.

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#### KARTHENWARE.

THE Undersigned has for sale—  
18 crates and casks Kartchenware, consisting of bowls, chamber-pots, basins, dishes, butter, sugars, tea and coffee pots, peppers, mustard, salts, cullenders, chair-pans, porter mugs, handbasins, cake-pans, broth bowls, egg cups, stool pans, spittoons, toy cans, metal-covered jugs, mustard-spoons, and coffee-pots.

WILLIAM HEBBLEWHITE,

Commission Agent.

477, George-street, opposite the Herald Office.

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#### SALES BY AUCTION.

EXTENSIVE SALE,  
OF  
GENERAL MERCHANTISE,  
TO CLOSE SEVERAL CONSIGNMENTS,  
AND  
WITHOUT RESERVE.

MR. MORT will sell by public auction,  
ON SATURDAY, AT HALF-PAST ELEVEN,  
IN THE YARD AT THE REAR OF THE ROOMS.

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FAMILY CARRIAGE.

IN MOST EXCELLENT CONDITION.

MR. MORT will sell by public auction,  
at his Rooms, George-street, on  
SATURDAY, THE 23RD JANUARY,

AT eleven o'clock each day,

At twelve o'clock

## ORIGINAL CORRESPONDENCE.

WOLLONGONG.

To the Editors of the Sydney Morning Herald.  
GENTLEMEN.—On the news of the liberation of  
Wollongong, a certain party of his devoted followers announced that  
a bullock would be killed and roasted in the  
town, to commemorate the event.

It is a remarkable fact, that although this  
district (as shown by the last census) is inhab-  
ited by more Protestants than Romanists,  
still, to the credit of the latter, the Roman  
church now being erected is progressing rapidly,  
and will be in superior edifice when finished;

whilst the Episcopalian church group,

whose extraordinary neglect, the foundation only

being laid, whilst the intended superstructure

remains alongside it in the form of bricks and

mortar, beseaching, as it were, the operator or

passer-by to interfere, and put this unseemly

heterogeneous mass into some form or shape.

The beholder of the spectacle addressed to involun-  
tarily soliloquises on the subject somewhat

after the following question:—“Why are you

angry?” Why show the world your  
lamelessness and indifference?—this gloomy sympathy for

your forlorn state, whilst within a few yards of

you, your rival church (Roman) is elevating its

head in proud triumph and cheerful success?

The neglected building seems to answer: “Yes,

here I am indeed alone and forlorn, like all

shunned poverty,—what is everybody's business

is nobody's.” I have been in this state five long

years, and have done little to look at me,—

I am in truth a friendless state; or like the bad neighbour,

seeing my distress speak for me:—enquire

why I am half brought into existence, and now

denied support—for what cause am I thus

shunned, and become a laughing-stock to my

zealous opponents? Follow not the example of

the multitude to despise my wretched con-

dition, but pry into the reason why I am thus

and all who refuse to belong to me.”

I am Gentleman, &c.

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To the Editors of the Sydney Morning Herald.  
GENTLEMEN.—Gaffer Gray appears once more

in your columns. In a former number of the  
Herald, he sailed through more than a column of

its wide sheets, under that spider-web-like-

fabric, the colours of the philosopher. In the

Herald of this morning, the frail thing appears

shattered by the breeze—friend Gaffer in a pot,

and a blood-red flag hoisted at the mast.

Gaffer assures yourself and your readers, that

he is a sailor! Well, be it as it may.

But allow me to assure you, that in the course

of his reasoning on the subject of the Exchange, so much folt and talked of, of late, he has

evinced a decided absence of that straightforward, honest, and manly feeling, that ever characterizes the sayings and doings of the true

sailor.

Gaffer, I suspect, will not even bankers to join him, in this expressed opinion, that

to be made, by an American, a periodical fall in the exchange, to your losses sustained by the Banks through other parties, in order not only to ensure, but to facilitate the payment of annuities to the various parties in the mother country, whom he enumerates.

In conclusion, I beg to remark, that I have

not, as friend Gaffer insinuates, been dis-

pointed in an intended purchase—my purchase

having been confined to supplies for my es-  
tablishments in the interior.

Yours truly, A. COLONIST.

P.S.—The flockowners are indebted to one

of the Banks for having altered the course of the

exchange in their favour. No doubt the other

Banks will follow the example in good time.

January 20.

ENGLISH NEWS.

THE CLOTHING MANUFACTURES.  
(From the *Leeds Mercury*, September 26.)

WOOL TRADE, LONDON, THURSDAY EVEN-

ING.—To continue to be rather large imports

of wool to London, the quantity during the

last six months have been about 1,000,000 lbs.,

of which 700 were from Alpine, 450 from

South Australia, 350 from the Cape of Good

Hope, 361 from Germany, 359 from Bombay, 25 from Russia, 34 from Belgium, and 24 from

Ireland.

The public sales of colonial and other de-

scriptions commenced yesterday at the Hall

of Commerce, to a full attendance of the trade,

which is expected to continue the sales progres-

ses. We believe the quantity to be

offered in 20,000 bales, but as the arrivals con-

tinue large, there may be more. The quo-

tations realized, and the spirit displayed is the

bidding, sugar well for the series; but upon

this point it is too early to give any decided

opinion. The opening sale was by—

Messrs. G. & J. Ward & Co., who offered 1,225

bales of Alpine Wool, 1,000 lbs. per cld. to

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